



*Construction Analysis for  
Pavement Rehabilitation Strategies*

**Tutorial Training Workshop**

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# Introduction - Who We Are

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- Questionnaires: Pre-evaluation
- Sign-up Sheet, Name Tag, Course binder/CD
- **Introduction: Name, Background, Office**
- CA4PRS Research Project since 1998
- **Sponsored by SPTC: State Pavement Technology Consortium (CA/FL/MN/TX/WA) - FHWA Pooled-fund Program**
- Leader - Caltrans HQ Design and DRI (Division of Research)
- **Hands-on Tutorial Training : Project Level**
- Metropolitan Districts: D3, D4, D7, D8, D12

# Course Outline & Contacts

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- **Course Binder Overview + Installation**
- **Web Information Source**
  - <http://www.dot.ca.gov/research/roadway/ca4prs/ca4prs.htm>  
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# Course Schedule -Day 1

8:30 – 9:00 a.m.	Course Introduction
9:00 – 9:50 a.m.	<b>CA4PRS Overview Presentation</b>
9:50 – 10: 00 a.m.	AM Break 1
10:00 – 11:00 a.m.	<b>Tutorial 1: PCC (Concrete I)</b>
11:00 – 11:10 a.m.	AM Break 2
11:10 – 12:00 p.m.	<b>Tutorial 2: PCC (Concrete II)</b>
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 – 2:00 p.m.	<b>Tutorial 3: CSOL (AC Overlay)</b>
2:00 – 2:10 p.m.	PM Break 1
2:10 – 3:00 p.m.	<b>Tutorial 4: FDAC (Full-depth AC)</b>
3:00 – 3:10 p.m.	PM Break 2
3:10 – 4:20 p.m.	<b>LLPRS Pilot Projects</b>
4:20 – 4:30 p.m.	Day 1 Wrap up



# Course Schedule - Day 2

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<b>9:00 – 10: 15 a.m.</b>	<b>Lab Exercise 1: PCC Projects</b>
<b>10:15 – 10: 30 a.m.</b>	<b>AM Break</b>
<b>10:30 – 12:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Lab Exercise 2: AC Projects</b>
<b>12:00 – 1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:00 – 2:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Lab Exercise 3: District Projects</b>
<b>2:15 – 2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>PM Break</b>
<b>2:30 – 3:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Design-Construction-Traffic: Integrated Analysis</b>
<b>3:45 – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Course Evaluation and Closing</b>

# **CA4PRS Model Overview**

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- **Development Background**
- **Modeling Structure**
- **Analysis Process**
- **Input & Output Interfaces**
- **Implementation Projects**
- **Tech Transfer Efforts**
- **Discussion**

# Pavement Failure



***I-10, Pomona***

30 to 50 year old pavements require maintenance and rehabilitation at shorter and shorter intervals.

Maintenance and rehabilitation are less effective when underlying structure reaches advanced deterioration.



***I-15 Devore***



***I-710 Long Beach***

# Caltrans Long-life Pavement Rehabilitation: LLPRS

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- Deterioration of Aging Pavement : Built in '50s-'70s
- 75% traffic growth and 4% mileage expansion (last 20 years)
- Adverse Effects on Quality, Safety, Costs
- Long-life Pavement Rehabilitation Strategies
  - To rebuild 2,500 lane-km of segments among 78,000 lane-km
  - Candidate projects are mostly PCC pavements in the LA & SF
  - Criteria: Poor structural and ride quality => 150,000 (???) Average Daily Traffic (ADT) or 10% Trucks
- LLPRS Objectives and Practice: Get-in, get-out, stay-out
  - Provide 30-40 years of design-life with minimum maintenance
  - Accelerated fast-track construction
  - Minimizing CWZ impact on traffic delay and local business

# CA4PRS Capability and Platform

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## ➤ **Mission**

- Decision support tool for LLPRS projects
- Integrates design, construction, and traffic analyses to balance competing objectives: **Long-life Pavement with Fast-track Construction and Minimum Traffic Disruptions**

## ➤ **Analysis Features**

- Estimates optimized schedule (**duration**) of rehabilitation
- Check traffic impact (Road user cost and queue delay)

## ➤ **System Platform**

- MS Windows application
- Stand-alone or Network-server
- Platform: Access database with Visual Basic 6.0
- Stores historical reference data from case studies

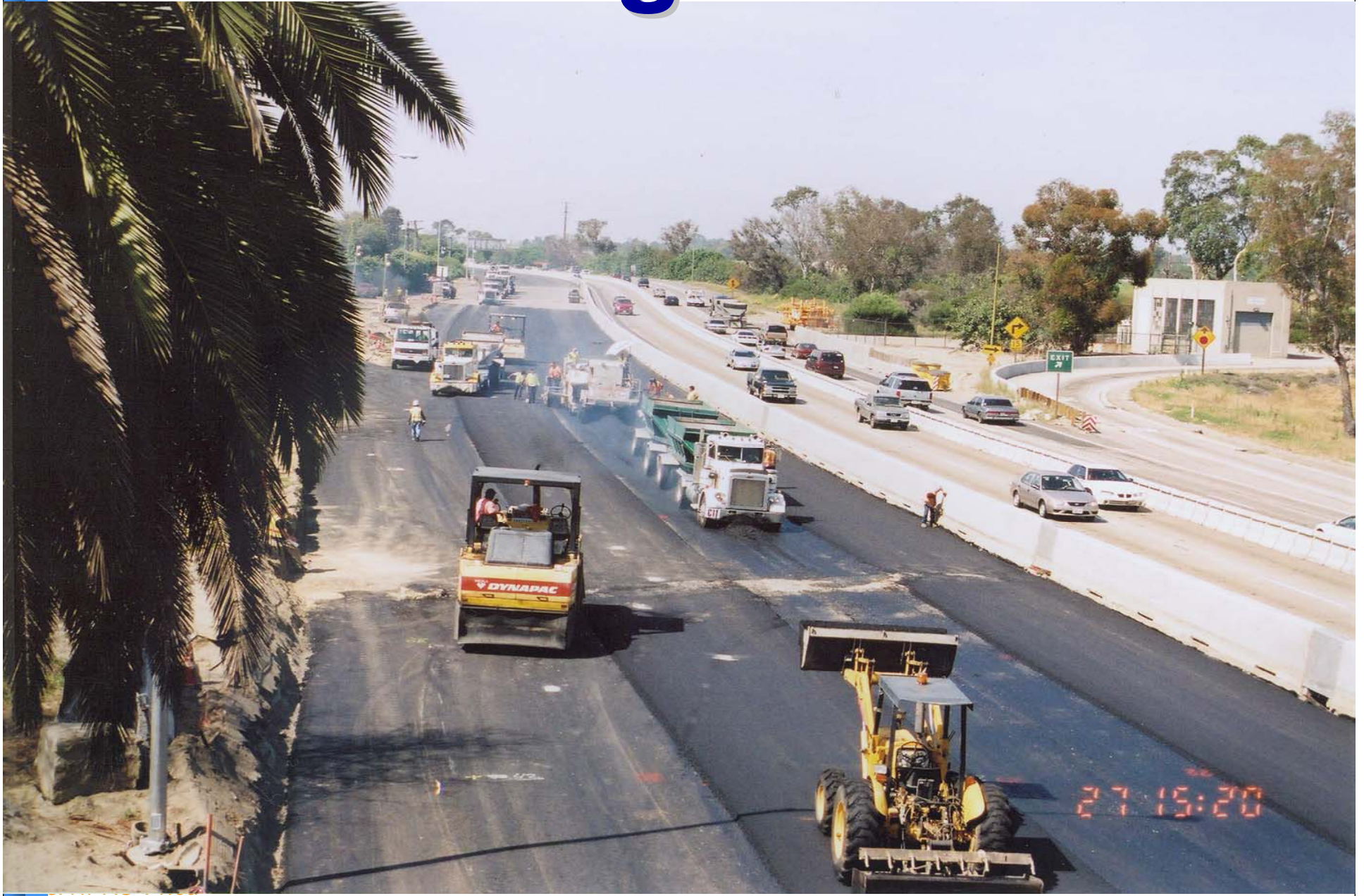
# Where Can CA4PRS be Used in a Rehab Project?

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- Planning: Pre-construction Evaluation
  - “What-if” rehabilitation scenarios
  - Value Analysis Tool => PSSR
- Design: Construction & Traffic Management Plans
  - Construction-staging plan
  - CPM schedule and contingency plan
  - “A+B (working days)” and Incentives contract
  - Supplement PS&E Package
- Construction: Contractor's work plan
  - Improve constructability constraints
  - Assess the request of contract change orders



# Modeling Structure

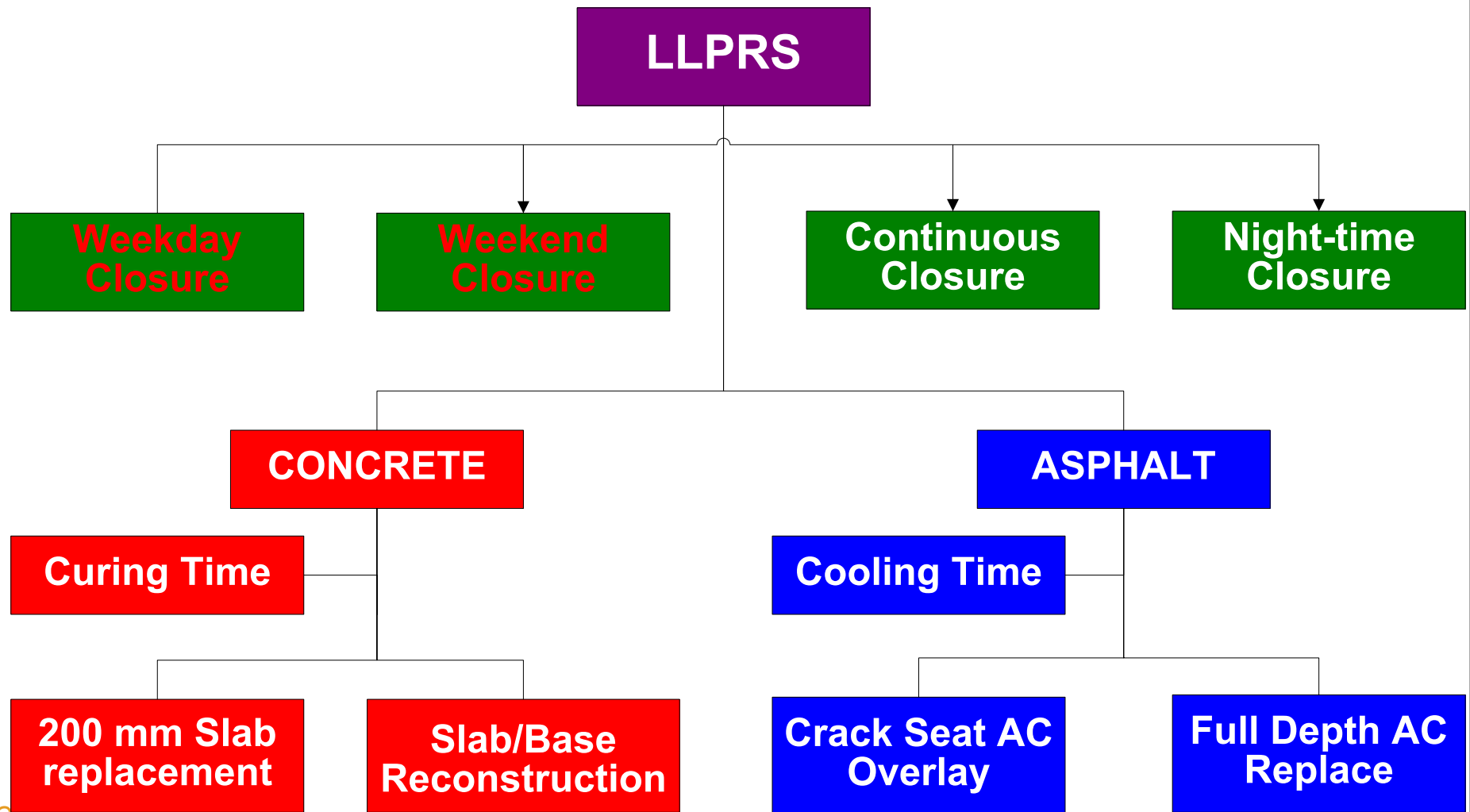




# Concrete Reconstruction: PCC

## Crack-Seal AC Overlay: CSOL

## Full-depth AC Replacement: FDAC



# Typical Caltrans Concrete LLPRS Cross-section Changes

## Existing Profile

CONCRETE	203mm (8")
CTB	102mm (4")
AB	305mm (12")
SG	



## New Profile

CONCRETE	203mm (8")
CTB	102mm (4")
AB	305mm (12")
SG	

(a) 203 mm Concrete Slab

CONCRETE	205mm (8")
CTB	102mm (4")
AB	305mm (12")
SG	



CONCRETE	305mm (12")
LCB/ACB	152mm (6")
AB	152mm (6")
SG	

(b) 305 mm Concrete Slab

Removed

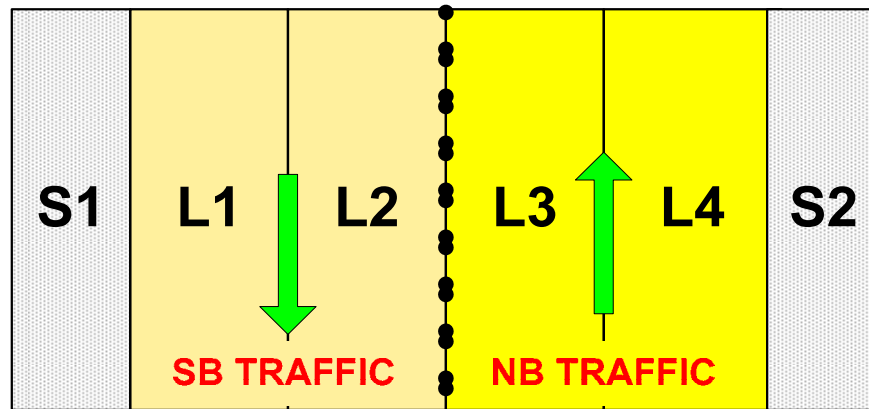
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New  
PCC

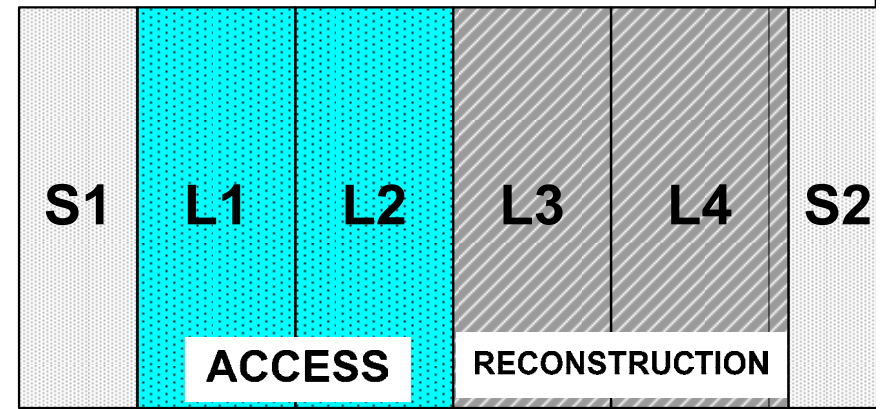
New  
Base

# Full Closure (Counter-flow Traffic)

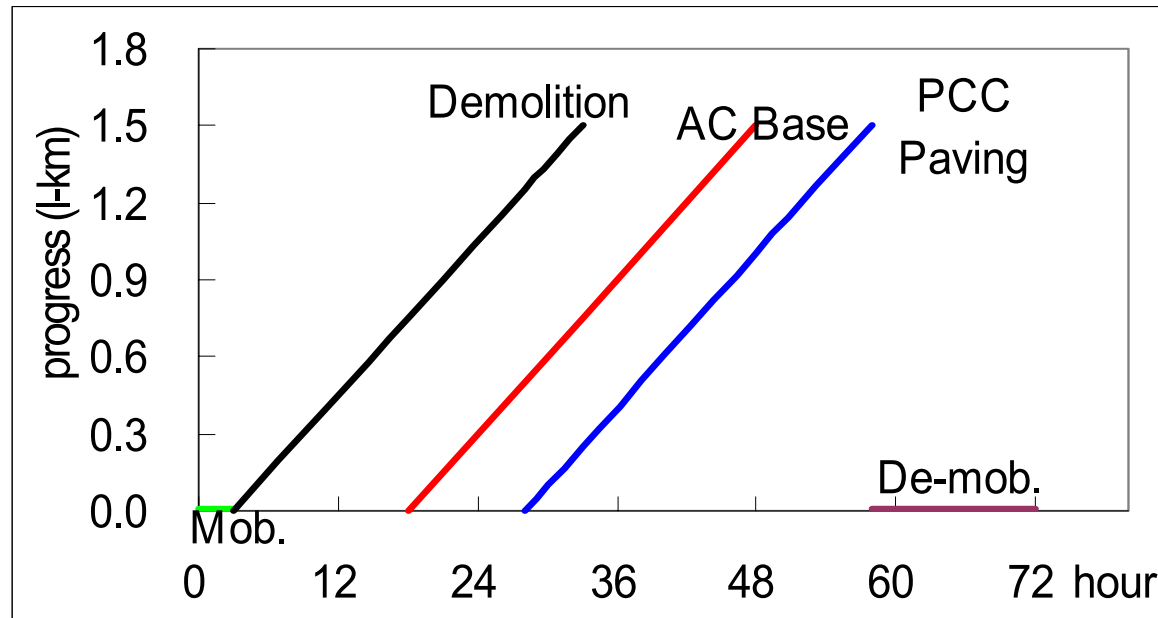
## PCC Concurrent Double-lane Rehabilitation



Traffic Roadbed

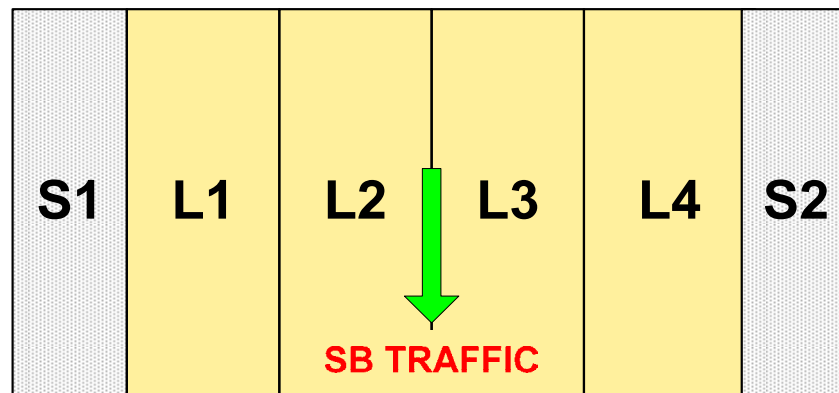


Construction Roadbed

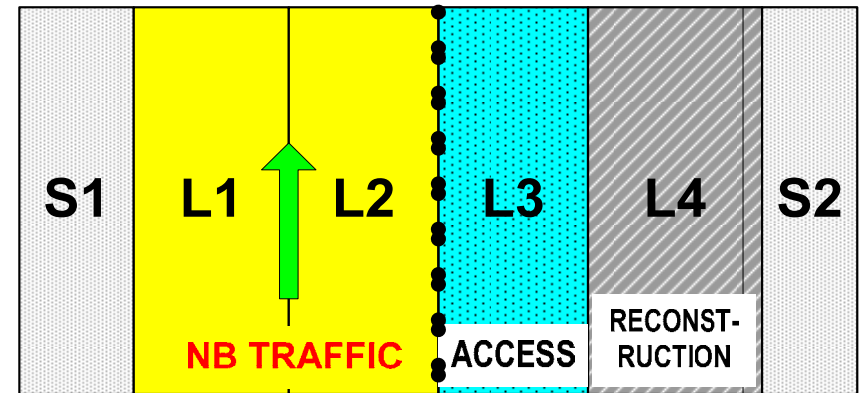


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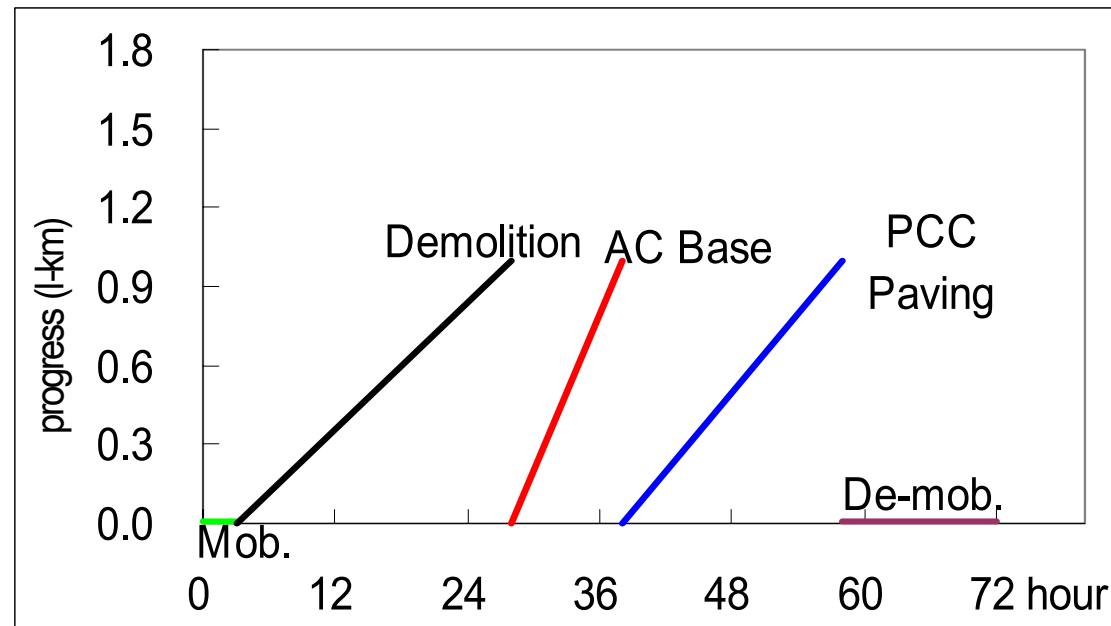
## PCC Sequential Single-lane Rehabilitation



**Traffic Roadbed**



**Construction Roadbed**



# Typical Asphalt LLPRS Cross Section (CSOL and Full-depth AC)

## Existing Pavement

PCC	203mm (8")
CTB	102mm (4")
AB	305mm (12")
SG	



## Crack-seal & AC Overlay

Total thick. = 230 mm (9")		
Layer	Thick.	Cooling
Final Lift	25 mm	0.5 hour
3 <sup>rd</sup> Lift	75 mm	4 hour
2 <sup>nd</sup> Lift	75 mm	4 hour
1 <sup>st</sup> Lift	55 mm	2 hour
PCC	203mm (8")	
CTB	102mm (4")	
AB	305mm (12")	
SG		

Retained	Fabric	AC(CSOL)
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## Full-Depth AC replacement

Total thick. = 330mm (13")		
Layer	Thick.	Cooling
Final Lift	25 mm	0.5 hour
4 <sup>th</sup> Lift	76 mm	1.5 hour
3 <sup>rd</sup> Lift	77 mm	6.5 hour
2 <sup>nd</sup> Lift	76 mm	2 hour
1 <sup>st</sup> Lift	76 mm	1 hour
AB	279mm (11")	
SG		

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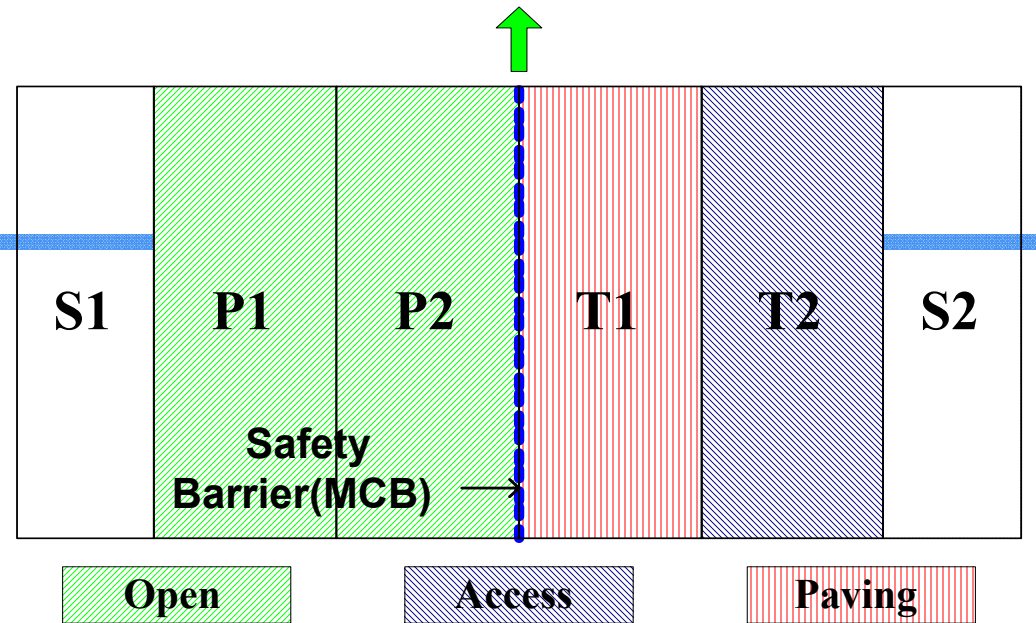
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# Lane Closures (CSOL)

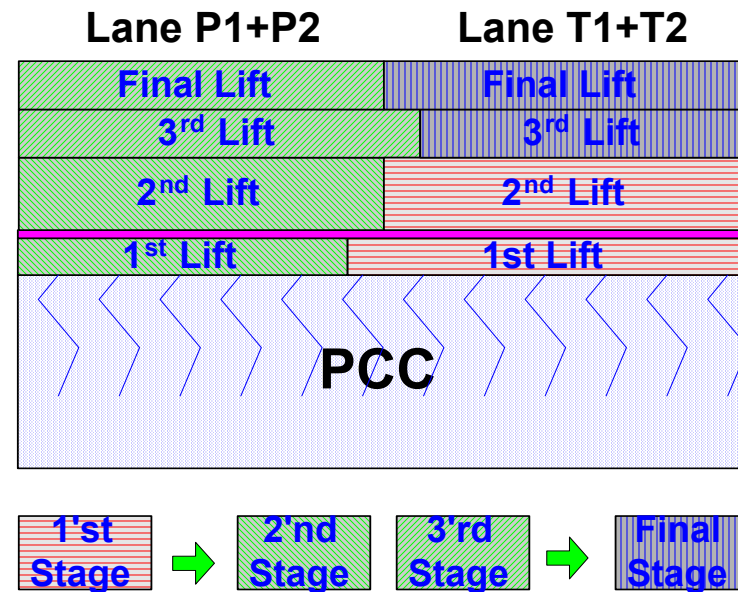
1. Full Closure + Full Completion

2. Half Closure + Full Completion

3. Half Closure + Partial Completion



(a) Plan View (1'st stage)



(b) Sequence of Paving

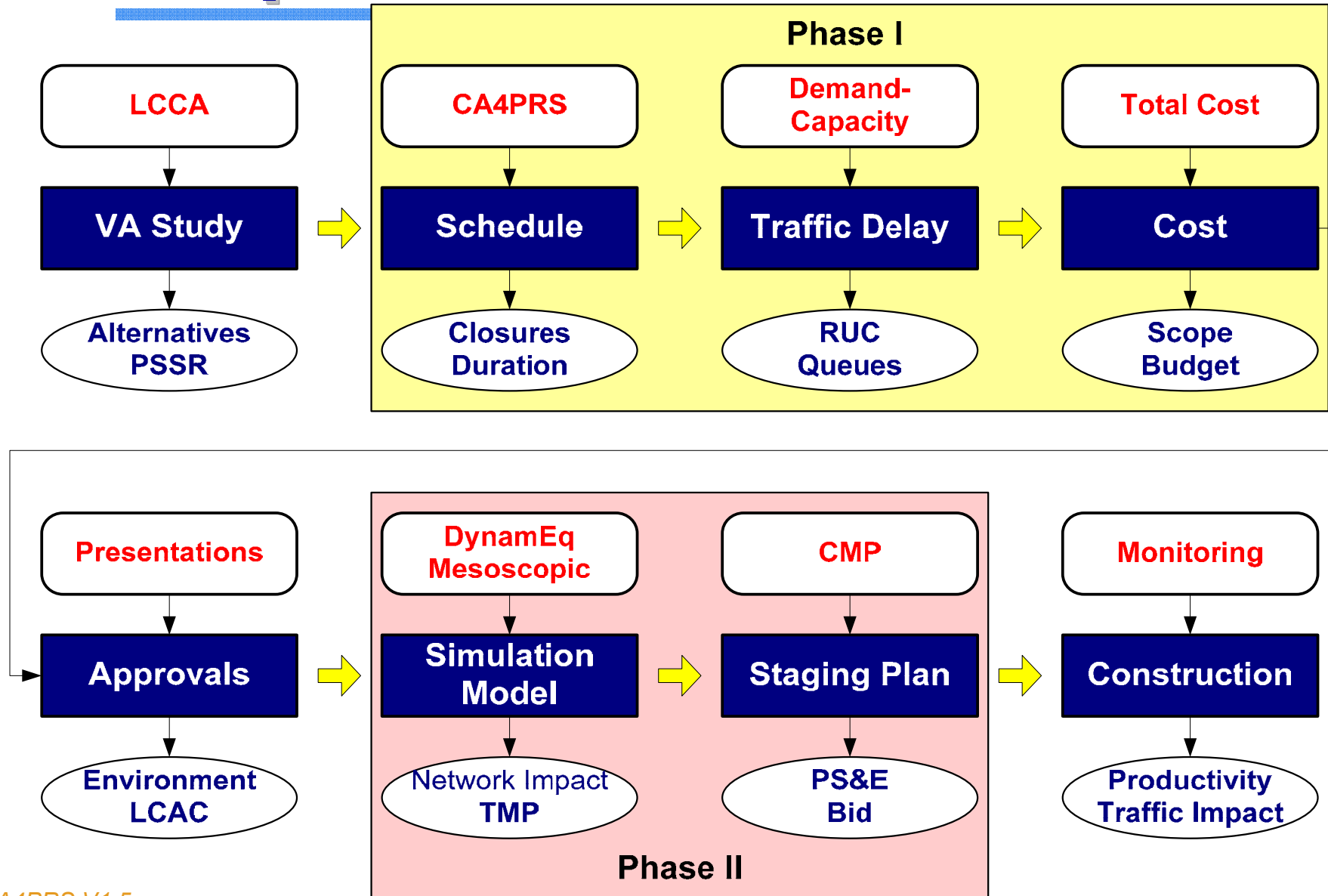


# Analysis Process





# Framework for CA4PRS Implementation on LLPRS



# Step 1: CA4PRS Production and Schedule Analysis

- **Input 1: Pavement Design**
  - Rehabilitation strategy alternatives
  - cross-section and materials alternatives
- **Input 2: Traffic Control & Operations**
  - Construction widows (Closure timing)
  - Lane closure alternatives
- **Input 3: Construction Constraints**
  - Activity lead-lag time relationships
  - Construction resources logistics
  - Weather (AC Cooling time, PCC curing time)
- **CA4PRS Outputs**
  - Maximum rehabilitation production (lane-km)
  - Total closures and project duration
  - Parameters sensitivity

# **Step 2: Traffic Delay Analysis**

## **Road User Cost + Maximum Delay**

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- **Incorporated Traffic Analysis Tools**
  - Highway Capacity Manual (Spreadsheet)
  - Macro Simulation: FREQ
  - Microscopic Simulation: Paramics
- **Needed Additional Traffic Information**
  - Geometry
  - Demand
  - Capacity
  - Traffic Demand Control
- **Traffic Analysis Outputs**
  - Total Road User Cost (RUC)
  - Maximum Delay per Closure
  - Demand Sensitivity

# **Step 3: Economic Analysis**

## **Total Cost = Agency + Road User Costs**

- **Comparison of Alternative Scenarios**
  - Select the Most Economical Rehabilitation Scenarios
- **Total Cost: Economic Analysis**
  - Total cost = RUC + Agency cost
  - Agency Cost = Construction + Traffic Handling
  - Apply a Discount Factor for Road User Cost
- **Other Qualitative Aspects**
  - Pavement Life Expectancy: LCCA
  - Environmental Aspects
  - Public Perception
  - Impact on Local Business

# **Step 4: Economic Analysis**

## **Total Cost = Agency + Road User Costs**

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  - Pavement Life Expectancy: LCCA
  - Environmental Aspects
  - Public Perception
  - Impact on Local Business

# **Step 5: Preferred Scenario**

## **Construction & Traffic Management Plans**

- **Construction Management Plan**
  - Rehabilitation Scope and Process
  - CPM Schedule
  - Contingency Plan
  - Incentives and “A + B” (Cost/Schedule) Contract
- **Traffic Management Plan**
  - Automatic Workzone Information Systems
  - Detour Plans
  - Public Outreach: Demand Reduction
  - Lane Closure Charts: Lane, Ramp, Connector
- **Implement Public Outreach**

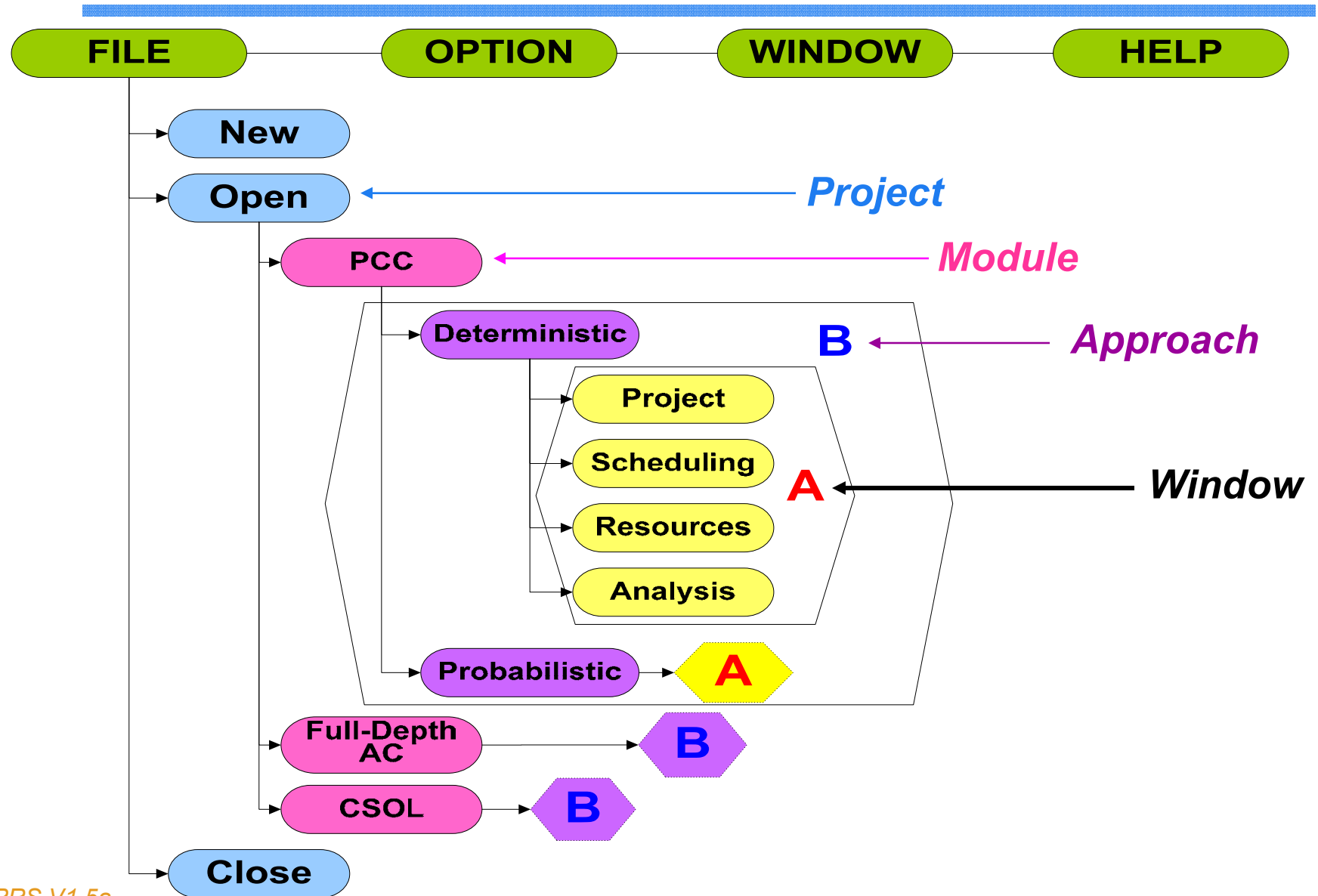


# Input & Output Interfaces





# CA4PRS Software Menu Tree



# Constructability and Productivity Analysis

File Options Window Help

- New
- Open...
  - PCCP Rehabilitation
    - Deterministic...
    - Probabilistic...
  - Full Depth ACP Rehabilitation
  - CSOL ACP Rehabilitation
- Close
- Close All
- Open Database...
- Backup Database...
- Compact Database
- Page Setup...
- Exit

## Project List in the Database

### Saved Projects

Analysis Type	Project Identifier	Route Name	Analysis Date	Project Description
Deterministic	I-15 10-H Nighttime with FSHCC	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/4/2002	Caltrans District 8 Demonstration Project (Nighttime Closu
Deterministic	I-15 72-H Weekday (Final)	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Deterministic	I-15 72-H DEMO (Back-Up)	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Deterministic	Workshop Concrete Exercise	Interstate-5	9/3/2003	Caltrans District 7
Deterministic	I-15 72-H (DEMONSTRATION)	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Deterministic	I-15 Revised (Concurrent)	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Probabilistic	I-15 72-H Weekday (Final)	I-15 Devore, San B	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Deterministic	I-15 Revised (Sequential)	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Probabilistic	I-15 Devore One-Roadbed Co	I-15 Devore, San B	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 Concrete Demonstration Project
Deterministic	I-710 Phase II	I-710 from 405 to F	3/18/2003	Dig Out with PCC
Deterministic	I-15 Devore Continuous Closur	I-15 Devore, San Be	3/18/2003	Caltrans District 8 I-15 Devore Truck-lane Reconstruction-

Ok

Copy

Delete

Cancel

# Constructability and Productivity Analysis

File Options Window Help

## Input (1): Project Details

PCCP Determin

Contents  
Search For Help On...  
Technical Support  
About CA4PRS

Continuous Closure

Project Ident

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Project Details

Scheduling

Resource

Analysis

Project Description:

Caltrans District 8 I-15 Devore Truck-lane Reconstruction-Continuous Closure

Analyst Name:

EB Lee

Analysis Date:

3 /18/2003

Route Name:

I-15 Devore, San Bernardino

Begin KM:

206.00

End KM:

258.70

Objective (lane-km):

10.50

Unit

☐ Imperial

☒ Metric

Location:

Deveore, San Bernardino, County, CA

Project Notes:

Freeway has 3-4 lanes for each direction.  
The outer trucklen for each direction will be reconstructed  
Construction = 4.3 km Stretch (Segment 1= 2.5km)  
Old Pavement = 8" PCC + 4" CTB  
New Pavement = 12" PCC + 6" AC Base

Save

Close

# Constructability and Productivity Analysis

File Options Window


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
### PCCP Probabilistic - I-15 72-H Weekday (Final)

Project Identifier: I-15 72-H Weekday (Final)

Project Details | Scheduling | Resource Profile | Analysis

Mobilization


Mobilization (Hours): 3.0 ☒ 

Demobilization (Hours): 13.7 ☒ 


Construction Start Date: 3 / 1 / 2004

Construction Window...

Lag Times for Sequential Working Method

Demolition to New Base Installation (Hours): 14.0 ☒ 

PCCP Installation can begin before New Base Installation is Complete: ☐

New Base Installation to PCCP Installation (Hours): 6.0 ☒ 

Lag Times for Concurrent Working Method

#### Construction Window Settings

Weekend Closure

Start Time on Friday: 10:00 PM

End Time on Monday: 05:00 AM

Available Hours: 55.0

Nighttime Closure

Start Time on First Day: 07:00 PM

End Time on Next Day: 05:00 AM

Available Hours per Day: 10.0

Continuous Closure/Continuous Operation

Start Time on First Day: 12:00 AM

No. of Continuous Work Days: 3.0

Available Hours per Day: 24.0

Continuous Closure/Shift Operation

Daily Start Time: 06:00 AM

No. of Continuous Work Days: 6.0

Available Hours per Day: 16.0

Save

Save Close



# Input (3): Resource Profile

Project Identifier: I-15 Concurrent (Prob)

Project Details | Scheduling | Resource Profile | Analysis

## Dump Truck (Demolition)

Rated Capacity (kg): 22000.0

Trucks per Hour: 10.0

Packing Efficiency: 0.65

Number of Team: 2.0

Team Efficiency: 0.75

## Batch Plant

Capacity (cu. m): 150.0

Number of Plants: 1

## End Dump Truck (PCC)

Capacity (cu. m): 6.0

Trucks per Hour: 11

Packing Efficiency: 0.90

## End Dump Truck (New Base)

Capacity (cu. m): 10.0

Trucks per Hour: 4

Packing Efficiency: 1.00

## Paver

Speed (m/min): 2.0

Number of Pavers: 1

Save

## Define Probability ...

Probability Function: Normal

Mean: 10

Std. Dev.: 1

# Input (4) - Concrete: Design & Traffic

Project Identifier: I-15 72-H Weekday (Final)

Project Details | Scheduling | Resource Profile | Analysis

Construction Window

☐ Weekend Closure

☐ Nighttime Closure

☒ Continuous Closure/Continuous Operation

☐ Continuous Closure/Shift Operation

Curing Time

☐ 4-Hours

☐ 8-Hours

☒ 12-Hours

☐ User Defined  Hours

Working Method

☐ Sequential Single Lane (T1)

☐ Sequential Single Lane (T2)

Section Profile

☐ 203 mm (8 inches)

☐ 254 mm (10 inches)

☐ 305 mm (12 inches)

☒ User Defined

PCCP (mm):

Treated Base (mm):

☐ Additional Demolition

Depth (mm):

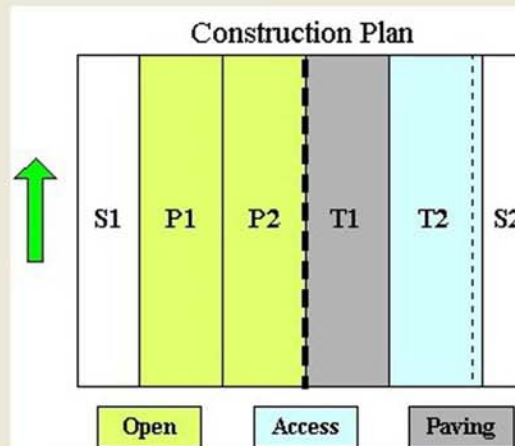
Analyze...

Compare...

Close

## Construction Plan

- ☒ Sequential Single Lane (T1)
- ☐ Sequential Single Lane (T2)
- ☐ Sequential Double Lane (T1+T2)
- ☐ Concurrent Single Lane (T1)
- ☐ Concurrent Single Lane (T2)
- ☐ Concurrent Double Lane (T1+T2)



Close

# Input (4) – Asphalt: Design & Traffic

Project Identifier: 710\_Full Depth\_55-H Weekend

Project Details | Scheduling | Resource Profile | Analysis

## Construction Window

- ☒ Weekend Closure
- ☐ Nighttime Closure
- ☐ Continuous Closure/Continuous Operation
- ☐ Continuous Closure/Shift Operation

## Working Method

- ☒ Single Lane Paving (T1)
- ☐ Single Lane Paving (T2)
- ☐ Double Lane Paving (T1+T2)



## Section Profile

Define...

☒ Profile A

Define...

☐ Profile B



☒ Additional Demolition

Depth 165.0

## Cooling Time Analysis

- ☒ User Specified
- ☐ MultiCool Computed

MultiCool Data...

## Lane Widths

T1 Width (m):

T2 Width (m):

## ACP Layer Definition - Profile A

Lift Number	Lift Thickness (mm)	Lift Name	Lift Cooling Time (hour)	Paver Speed (kph)
4	76.20	PBA-6a	3.00	4.43
3	76.20	AR-8000	3.00	4.51
2	76.20	AR-8000	2.00	4.51
1	94.00	Rich Bottom	1.00	3.36
Total: 322.60			Average: 2.25	Average: 4.20

Insert

Delete

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# Multicool for AC Cooling-time Check

## ment Cooling Program

### Mix Specifications

Number of Lifts

Lift Number 1

Next Lift

Mix Type

PG Grade

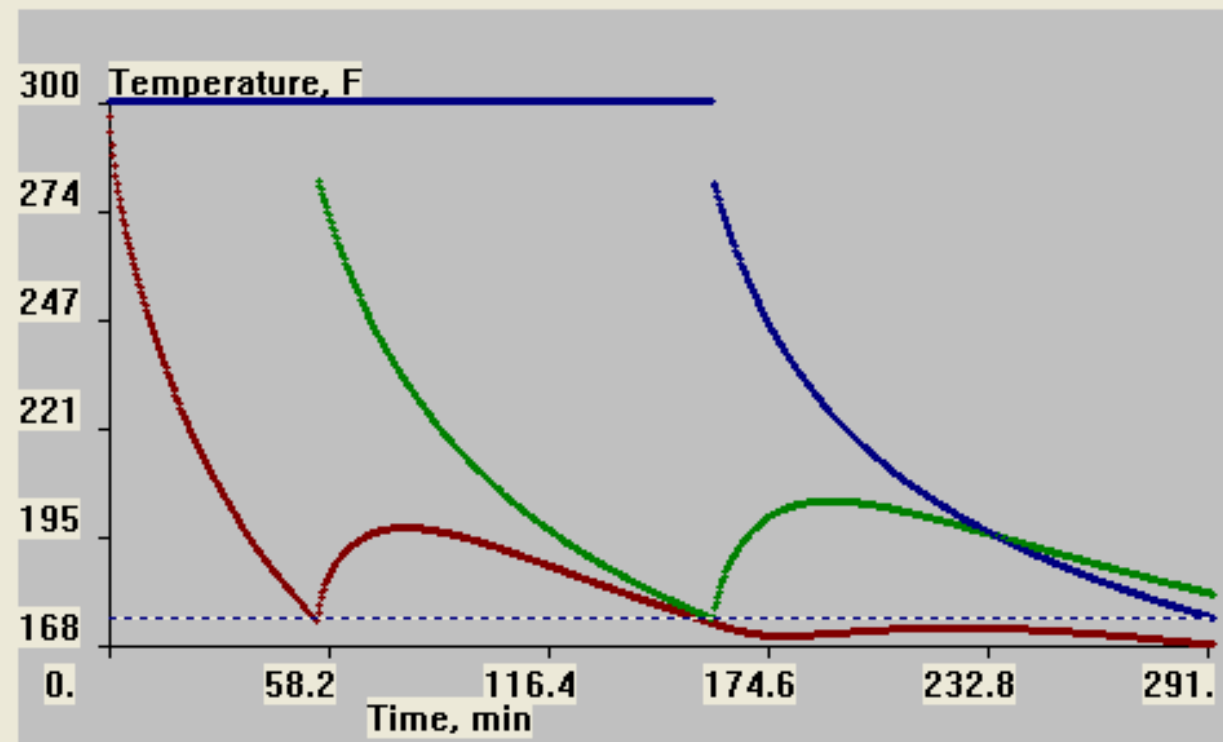
Lift Thickness  in.

Delivery Temp  F

Stop Temp  F

Export Formatted Data

### Model Output



☐ Tabular Output

☒ Graphical Output

# Resource Utilization - I-15 72-H Weekday (Final)

## Deterministic Outputs

Project Identifier: 710\_Full Depth\_55-H Weekday (Final)

Production Details

Production Chart

Gantt Chart

Construction Window:	Continuous Closure/Continuous
Working Method:	Concurrent Double Lane (T1+T2)
Section Profile:	PCCP: 290.0 mm, New Base: 152.4
Curing Time:	12-Hours
Objective (lane-km):	17.00
Maximum Possible (lane-km):	2.56
<b>Maximum Possible (c/l-km):</b>	<b>1.28</b>
Construction Windows Needed	6.64
Demolition Quantity (cu. m):	4485.0
New Base Quantity (cu. m):	1545.0
Concrete Quantity (cu. m):	2940.0
Constraint Resource:	
Demolition to Paving:	N/A
Demolition Hours:	35.0
Paving Hours:	35.0

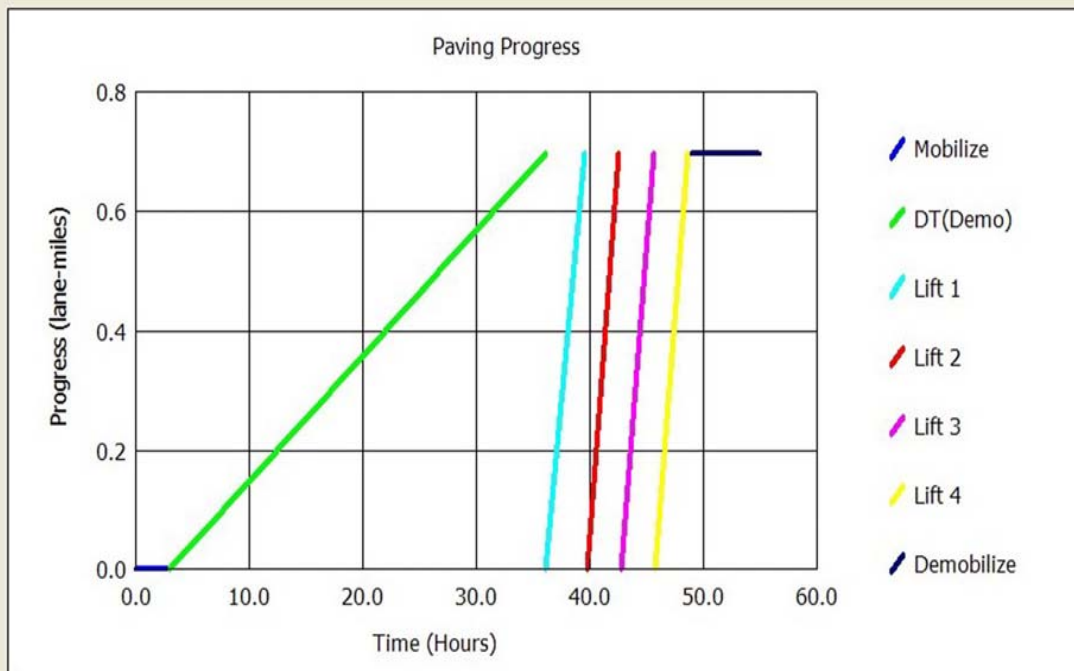
Resource	Allocated	Utilized
Dump Truck (per hour)	10.0	8.4
End Dump Truck (New Base)	8.0	6.3
Batch Plant (cu-m/hour)	150.0	84.0
End Dump Truck (PCC) (per	14.0	14.0
Paver Speed (m/min)	2.0	0.6

Project Identifier: 710\_Full Depth\_55-H Weekend

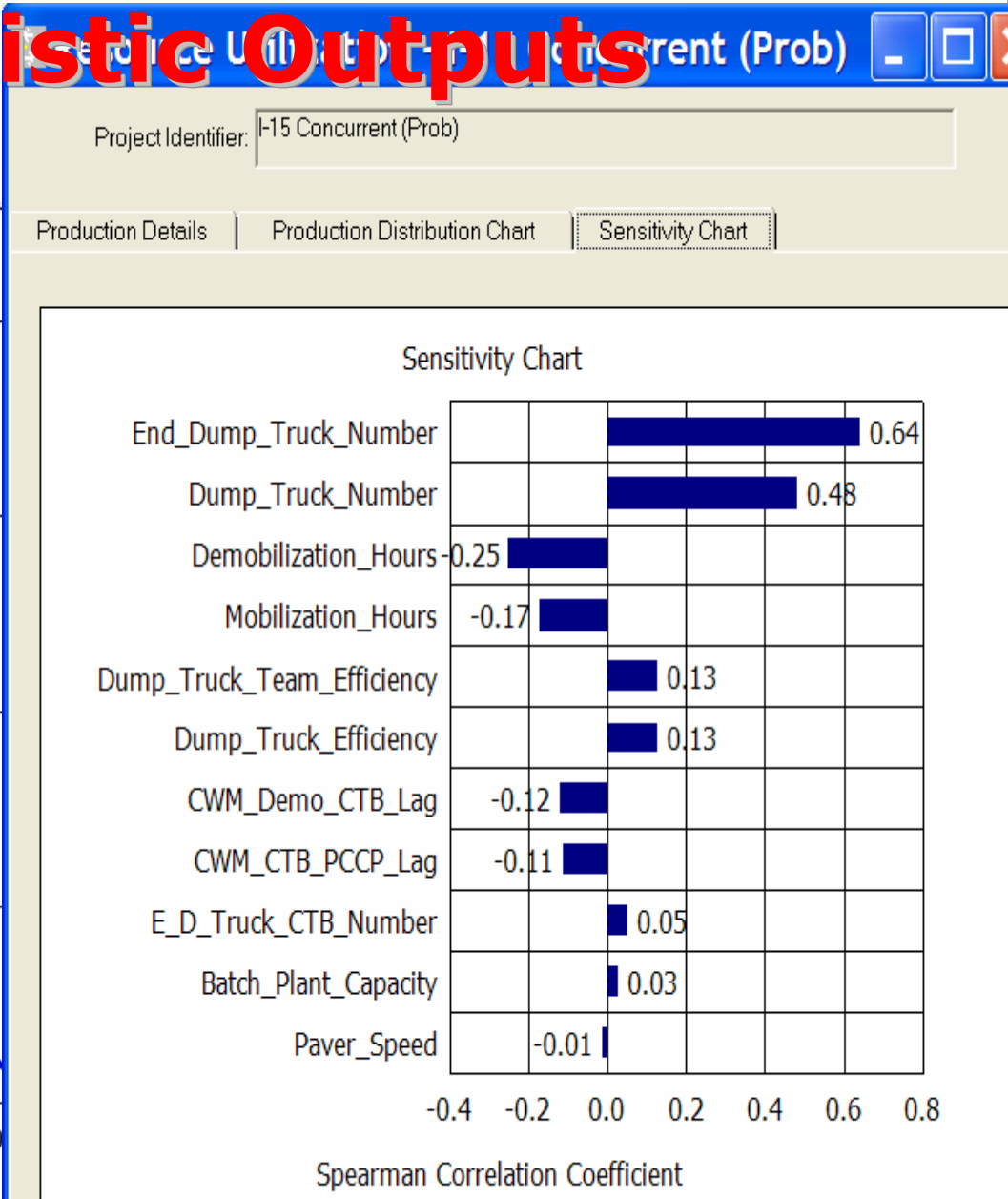
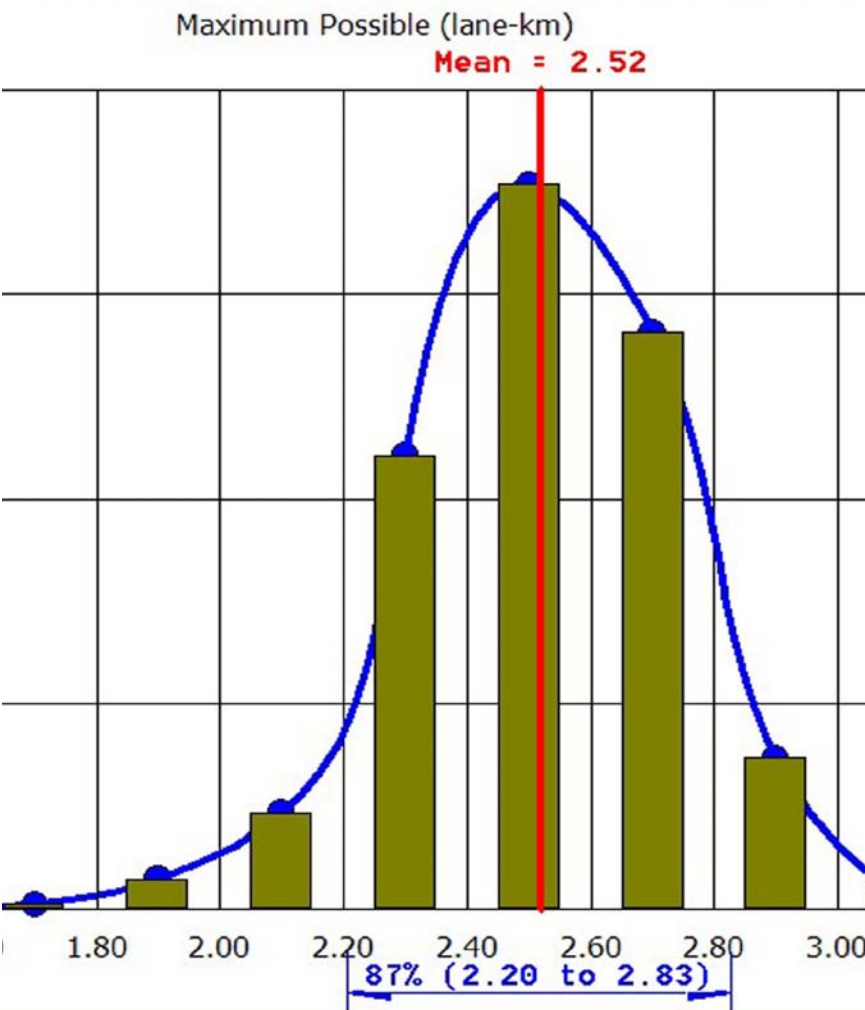
Production Details

Production Chart

Gantt Chart



# Probabilistic Outputs

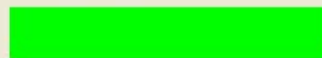


# Alternatives Comparison - I-15 72-H (DEMONSTRATION)

Construction Window	Section Profile	Curing Time	Working Method	Maximum Possible (lane-km)	Constraint Resource	Construction Windows	Total Working Hours
Weekend Closure (55 Hours/Weekend)	203 mm (8 inches)	4-Hours	Concurrent Double Lane (T1+T2)	4.84	EDT(New Base),	3.51	193.0
		12-Hours		4.12	EDT(New Base),	4.13	227.1
	305 mm (12 inches)	4-Hours		2.06	DT(Demo)	8.26	454.1
		12-Hours		1.65	DT(Demo)	10.32	567.6
Nighttime Closure (15 Hours/Day)	203 mm (8 inches)	4-Hours		0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
		12-Hours		0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
	305 mm (12 inches)	4-Hours		0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
		12-Hours		0.00	N/A	N/A	N/A
Continuous Closure/Continuous Operation (72 Hours/Closure)	203 mm (8 inches)	4-Hours		6.90	EDT(New Base)	2.46	177.3
		12-Hours		6.18	EDT(New Base),	2.75	198.2
	305 mm (12 inches)	4-Hours		3.23	DT(Demo)	5.27	379.4
		12-Hours		2.81	DT(Demo)	6.04	435.0

## Production Comparison Analysis

### Color Coding Legend



Objective can be accomplished in one Construction Window



Objective requires more than one Construction Window



Not a feasible Construction Window

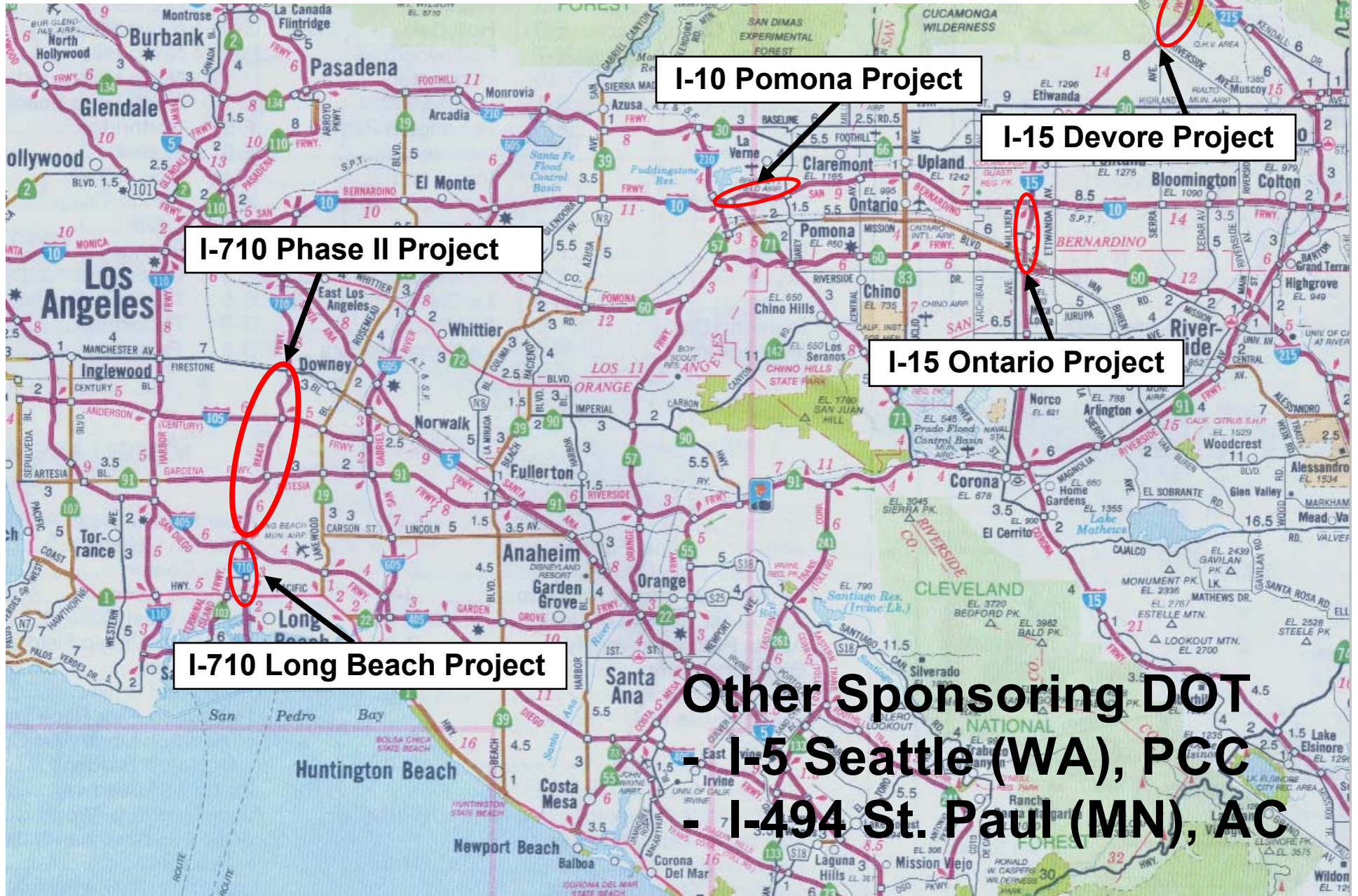


# Implementation (CA, MN, TX, WA)



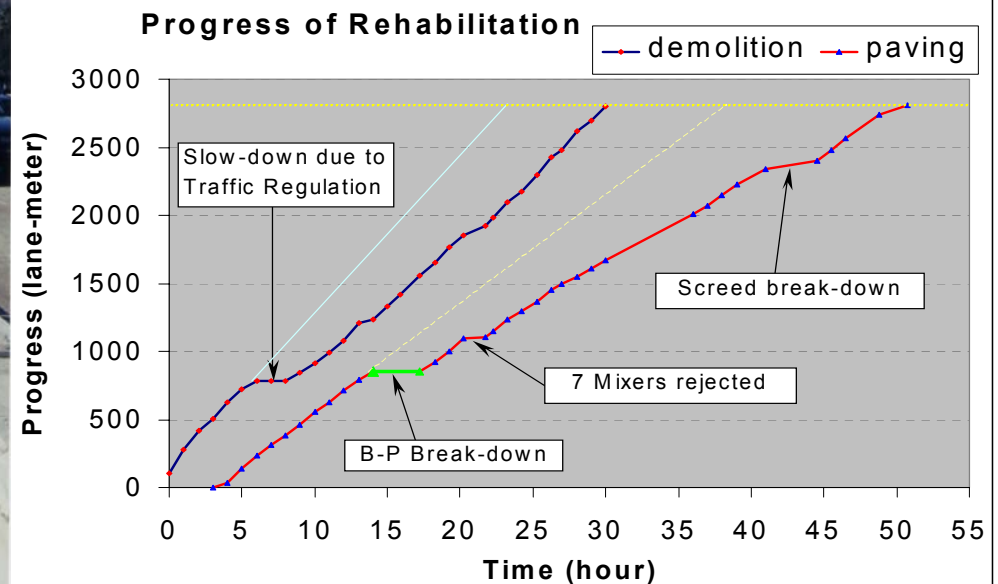


# CA4PRS Implementation Projects





# I-10 Pomona Project CA4PRS Verification

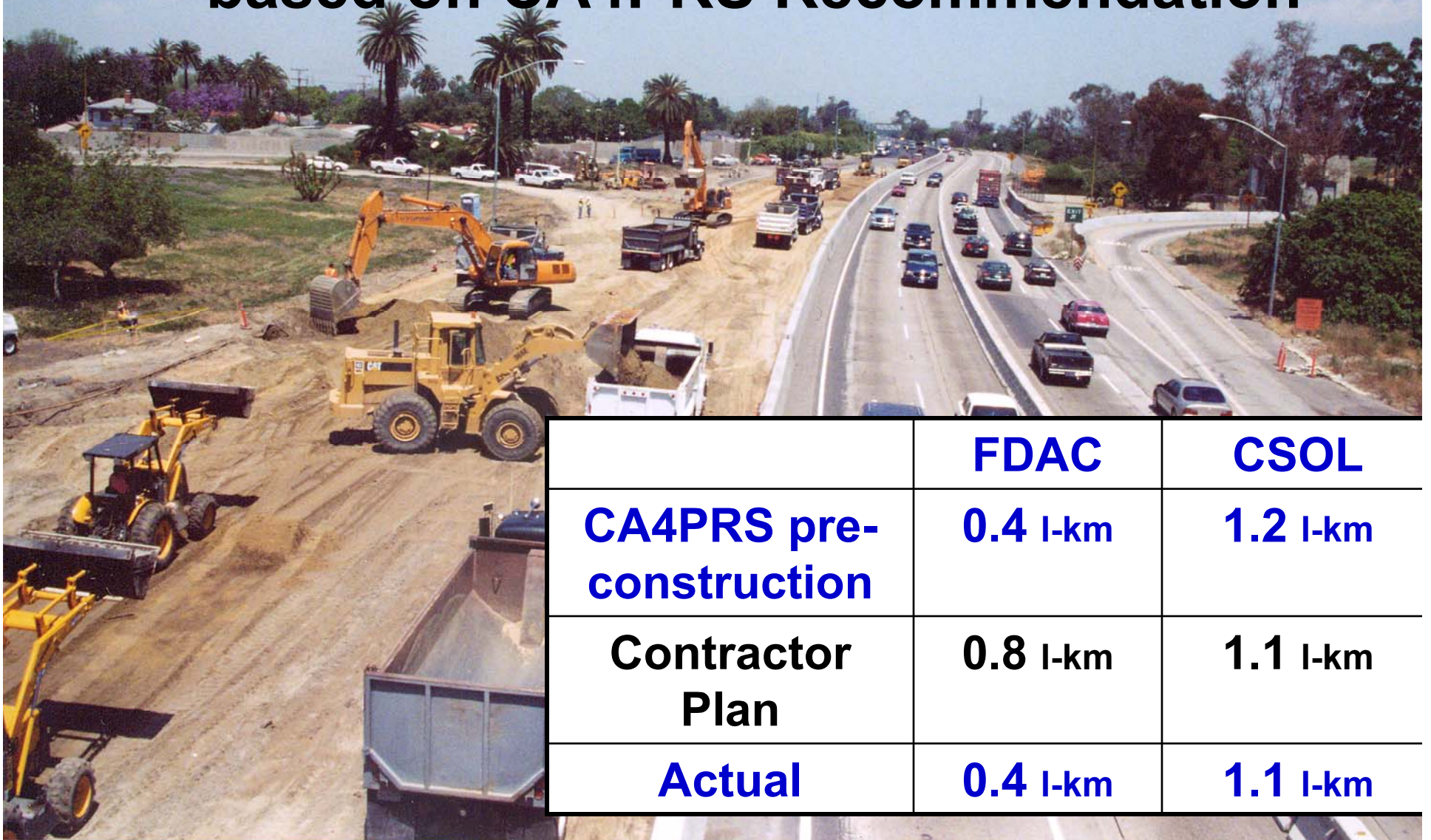


## 55-hour Weekend Production

- Contractor's Plan = 3.5 lane-km
- CA4PRS Estimate = 2.9 lane-km (2.4-3.4)
- Actual Performance = 2.8 lane-km

# **I-710 Long Beach project**

## **Contractor revised “Staging-Plan” based on CA4PRS Recommendation**



	<b>FDAC</b>	<b>CSOL</b>
<b>CA4PRS pre-construction</b>	<b>0.4 I-km</b>	<b>1.2 I-km</b>
<b>Contractor Plan</b>	<b>0.8 I-km</b>	<b>1.1 I-km</b>
<b>Actual</b>	<b>0.4 I-km</b>	<b>1.1 I-km</b>

# I-15 Devore Selected the Most Economical Scenario: Schedule, Traffic Delay, Total Costs

Construction Scenario	<i>Schedule Comparison</i>		Cost Comparison (\$M)			Max. Peak Delay (Min)
	Total Closures	Closure Hours	User Delay	Agency Cost	Total Cost	
★ 1 Roadbed Continuous	2	400	5.0	15.0	20.0	80
★ 72-Hour Weekday Continuous	8	512	5.0	16.0	21.0	50
55-Hour Weekend Continuous	10	550	10.0	17.0	27.0	80
10-Hour Night-time Closures	220	2,200	7.0	21.0	28.0	30

***Public responses changed 72-hour closures scheme to one-roadbed continuous scenario***





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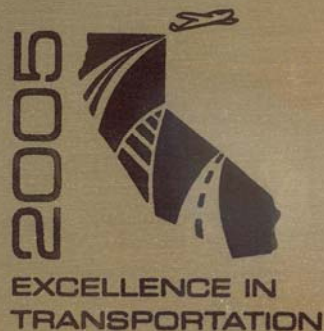
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For your cooperation and support of the  
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Working together is a Success.



*Anne Mayer*  
ANNE MAYER, District 3 Director

*E.B. Lee*  
Date





# Technology Transfer





<http://www.dot.ca.gov/research/roadway/ca4prs/ca4prs.htm>

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### CA4PRS

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## Construction Analysis for Pavement Rehabilitation Strategies (CA4PRS)

Developed as a LLPRS planning tool, CA4PRS (Construction Analysis for Pavement Rehabilitation Strategies) estimates the amount of highway pavement that can be rehabilitated under various project constraints. The software provides a construction schedule baseline for the integrated analysis of pavement design, construction logistics, and traffic operations. It was designed to help agencies and paving contractors develop construction schedules that minimize traffic delay and agency costs. Application to several urban freeway rehabilitation projects with heavy traffic volume in California, including I-10 Pomona (District 7), I-710 Long Beach (District 7), and I-15 Devore (District 8) reconstruction projects, has demonstrated the tool's value.

CA4PRS considers **what-if** scenarios for major parameters and alternatives, such as the followings:

- **Rehabilitation strategy:** Portland Cement Concrete (PCC) reconstruction, crack-seal PCC and asphalt concrete overlay (CSOL), or full-depth asphalt concrete replacement (FDAC).
- **Construction window:** nighttime closures, weekend closure,

# Outreach & Tech Transfer

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- CAL/APT program to develop prototype
- FHWA pooled-fund to code software
- Validation: CA(I-10, I-710), WA(I-5), and MN(I-94)
- Implementation: D8(I-15 Devore, Ontario), D7(I-710 II)
- HQ Design own and lead
- HQ IT officially approved
- Public outreach: Brochure, poster, papers
- Training workshops: 500 engineers since 2003
- On-line training course in development
- Agency (SPTC, LTAP), Industry, Academia

# CA4PRS Continuation Enhancement and Upgrade

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- V1.0: Basic rehabilitation strategies
  - Separate HCM spreadsheet for delay calculation
- V1.5: Add Rehabilitation Strategies
  - Usability Improve including the User manual
  - CRCP Rehabilitation
- V2.0: Traffic Analysis (Road User Cost)
  - Embed Demand–Capacity Model
  - Economic analysis (RUC + Agency Cost)
- V2.5: Add More Analysis Capability
  - Interchange Improvement and Roadway Widening
- V3.0: Expand to Life Cycle Cost Analysis
  - HQ Design: Pavement Design Guideline Manual

# More Information

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## Caltrans DRI Web

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/research/roadway/roadway.htm>

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